

110TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. RES. 347

Designating May 2008 as “National Be Bear Aware and Wildlife Stewardship Month”.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

OCTOBER 16, 2007

Mr. BAUCUS (for himself and Mr. TESTER) submitted the following resolution;
which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

OCTOBER 25, 2007

Reported by Mr. LEAHY, without amendment

OCTOBER 26, 2007

Considered and agreed to

RESOLUTION

Designating May 2008 as “National Be Bear Aware and Wildlife Stewardship Month”.

Whereas wildlife and wildlife viewing enrich the shared outdoor heritage of the people of the United States;

Whereas it is possible to enjoy wildlife in a way that is prudent, safe, and educational and that has minimal adverse effects on wildlife;

Whereas the people of the United States should be aware of the potential for conflict between humans and wildlife;

Whereas the people of the United States should learn the safety and stewardship techniques that can prevent such conflicts;

Whereas some groups, such as the Center for Wildlife Information and State and Federal wildlife associations, in cooperation with State and Federal wildlife and land management agencies, have taken important proactive steps to create educations toolkits and design programs to educate outdoor enthusiasts; and

Whereas educational efforts can raise awareness of the potential for such conflict, help minimize such conflict, and promote the responsible enjoyment of wildlife: Now, therefore, be it

- 1 *Resolved*, That the Senate designates May 2008 as
- 2 “National Be Bear Aware and Wildlife Stewardship
- 3 Month”.

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